[Photo by Allen Austin]

ANGIE THOMPSON, pictured above, proudly displays her trophies she won recently in pageant competition. On Saturday, June 6, in Brookneal, Angie was crowned "Overall Jamboree Queen 3rd Place" and received a lovely four foot trophy. This overall award was presented Angie for having the third highest combined pageant and photogenic scores of all age divisions during the Jamboree pageant. Also, during the day she won second place in the "Tiny Miss Campbell County" and second place in the photogenic contest.

Recently Angie competed in the "Southeastern Virginia Tiny Miss" pageant and "Miss May Queen" held in Lynchburg at the Sheraton Inn for which she received third place in both events. During the event she also received fourth place in the photogenic contest and a special overall award named "Miss May Radiance". She was sponsored by Thompson's Sporting Goods in all of the above events. During the past year, Angie has competed in 19 pageants, 15 of which she has placed in the top four. She has received six special overall awards including three party gown awards. She is the nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson and the granddaughter of Ms. Jean Nash and Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. Thompson, all of Appomattox.

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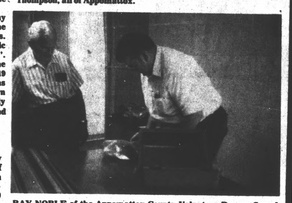
RODNEY THOMPSON, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thompson, proudly displays two beautiful trophies he won recently in two photogenic contests. On June 6 in Brookneal, he won in his age division and was crowned "Photogenic Duke '81". In May during the Southeastern Virginia Pageant held in Lynchburg, he received second place in the photogenic portion of the event. Rod's grandparents are Ms. Jean Nash and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thompson, all of Appomattox.

Pamplin AARP hears Ray Noble

On June 16 the American Association of Retired Persons had their regular monthly meeting in Pamplin and it proved to be most interesting and beneficial to both the chapter and the Appomattox Rescue Squad.

The chapter was enlightened by the very capable Mr. Ray Noble on the use and costs of new devices and equipment in the business of rescue and Mr. Noble received the sum of $80 from the A.A.R.P. members as a donation to help in his good work.



RAY NOBLE of the Appomattox County Volunteer Rescue Squad explains use of rescue equipment as Mr. Horace Coleman, member of the County Board of Supervisors, looks on. (Photo by Jim Collins)

Omar Mendoza's story

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worthless. There were ration books to buy food, clothing, even a pair of shoes. It did not matter how much money anyone had, and if you were caught dealing with the black market, the firing squad would be there waiting for you. What was the use of trying under those conditions?" Continued Mendoza.

When Omar Mendoza finally came to this country, he was sponsored by the Catholic Relief Council and he knew that he would be met by a representative of that organization when his plane landed in Florida.

With just the "clothes on his back" (that was all he was allowed to carry with him), Omar stepped off the plane and went through customs.

Unable to speak English, Omar just looked and waited. "If Mohammed can't go to the mountain, let the mountain come to Mohammed," the young Cuban said to himself. Finally, he spotted two ladies who seemed also to be waiting expectantly. One wore the habit of the Catholic religion. He made his way to her and, much to his delight, found she was fluent in his language—she was the interpreter. They greeted each other with genuine interest and then the interpreter laughed heartily. She turned to Omar and told him what the other lady had said (his sponsor in the U.S.): she had commented that she had thought all along that all Cubans were black—what with Hollywood movies always portraying them as such.

"And I replied also smiling broadly: "Well, we have Hollywood movies where I come from too. In fact, I thought all Americans were either cowboys or Indians—which one are you?"

Next week we'll learn more of the experiences, some of them very trying, some filled with humor, as Omar became gradually accustomed to our way of life. Now it would be his way of life too!

JEAN BROWN AND HER SON, Herbie, display some of the items for sale at her new store, "Jean's Place," located six miles west of Appomattox on Route 460, along the westbound lane. The new business will be open on Saturdays from noon until 5 p.m., and on Sundays from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. For further information call Jean at 528-7360.

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The family of John W. Gunter would like to express their appreciation to their relatives and friends for their expressions of concern and sympathy during his illness and since his death. He really enjoyed the many cards he received, and your visits. Thank you for remembering him while ill in such a nice way.

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FEATURE HOMES

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The layout of this plan is for smooth even flow. The front porch entry is wide as well as the foyer. The open vista is to sunken great room enhanced by wood rail division, false beams, fireplace with raised hearth and terrace view.

The bedrooms are zoned for privacy and the master bedroom is totally private and directly accessible to great room. A bay window is included in the private bedroom as well as a compartment bath with twin lavatory. Closets are plentiful. The remaining two bedrooms are isolated and serviced by central bath. The stair to basement is from this area. A rear stair is shown for access to bonus room.

The dining, kitchen, breakfast, laundry and garage are in a line. Feature appointments are bay and wide shallow pantry in the breakfast room, isolated laundry area and entry to double side-entry rear garage. Access to terrace is from garage entry.

The game room is huge and boasts slope ceiling and triple dormer windows.

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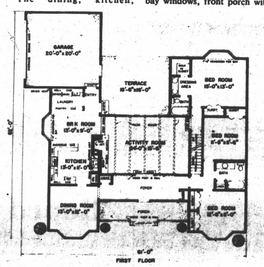

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Hollywood

By MARY BAGBY

Praise the Lord, blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who finds great delight in his commands. Psalm 112:1

The workers and young people of Hollywood Bible School presented a fine program Sunday morning, June 14 of the closing exercises.

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Menser and Mike attended graduation exercises of their son, Greg Menser from Thomas Nelson Community College in Newport News Sunday evening, June 14.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of Mrs. Wiley Morris who passed away last week.

Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa returned home Tuesday from Covington. Mrs. Woodall was a patient in the Alleghany Hospital in Lamor, Va. for a week for tests and x-rays.

Mr. Frank Covington of Marietta, Ohio spent several days with his sister, Mrs. Mary Bagby. He returned home to Marietta Monday. Mr. Covington and Mr. James Woodall spent Thursday in Lynchburg visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Adcock and daughters, Necole and Melinda of Hillsbourgh, N. C. spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond visited in this home last week. Mr. Patrick Monaghan and Mr. Jim Schillinger of New Hauen, Indiana were over night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Sr. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Long and family of Bahama, N. C. Mr. Walker Webb and Mrs. David Repass were visitors Monday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

Mrs. Claude Hamlett of Hurt spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Virgie Beasley at the Martin-Wooldridge Nursing Home. Mrs. Beasley celebrated her 80th birthday Tuesday. Mr. Grover Beasley Jr. visited his mother over the weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb were Mr. Walker and Richard Webb, Mr. Jim Webb, Becky and Keith Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Craft and Kristi.

Rev. Otis Smith of Chriottesville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goin, Mr. Calvin Smith and son, Bobby were visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Elder were visitors Thursday night of Mrs. Mary Bagby and Mr. Frank Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Webb and family of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goin visited Mr. Richard Webb and family last week.

Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and daughter, Julia spent a few days last week at Williamsburg.

Mr. Lawrence Ferguson and Mr. Billy Ferguson of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Covington were luncheon guest Wednesday of Mrs. Madeline Inge. Mr. Walker and Richard Webb visited Mrs. Inge Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Madeline Inge called in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Austin and Tom Wednesday afternoon.

Those visiting Mrs. Mary Bagby and Mr. Frank Covington last week were Rev. and Mrs. Dan Menser and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Davis and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Davis and Robin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Whit Woodall, Mr. Jim Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, William and April Watson, Mrs. Madeline Inge, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa, Mrs. Kenneth Deaner, Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Miss Julia Wingfield.

Oakville

Mr. Harold Martin of Medical Care Center spent the weekend at home. He is doing fairy well.

Mrs. Rob Lucado visited her sister, Mrs. Thelma Thornhill Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. "Bob" Martin ate Father's Day dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Martin.

Rev. Randolph Martin and daughter, Shawn, spent several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. "Bob" Martin last week.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Marshall, honoring Father's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Marshall, Miss Kathy Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Williams, Forest, formerly of Oakville, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday p.m. Those attending from this vicinity were: Mr. and Mrs. "Bob" Martin, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Martin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Martin, Mrs. Alise Drinkard, Mrs. Christine Moore, Mrs. Nellie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. "Jack" Martin, Robin, Mrs. Lonnie Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coleman.

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